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House Resolution 2014

By: Representatives Cheokas of the 134th, Porter of the 143rd, Coleman of the 144th, Warren of the 122nd, Kidd of the 115th, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Jimmy Skipper; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Jimmy Skipper has long been recognized by the citizens of Americus and
- 3 Sumter County for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal
- 4 commitment to the welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and
- 5 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
- 6 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced
- 7 dramatically by his many years of superlative service as member of this body from 1990
- 8 through 2004 and as majority leader; and
- 9 WHEREAS, this native son of Sumter County demonstrated during his service in this body
- 10 the level of leadership ideally expected of elected officials, and of members of the House of
- 11 Representatives in particular; and
- WHEREAS, his significant organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable patience
- and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of his
- 14 community have earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
- 16 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and
- 17 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- 18 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.
- 19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 20 the members of this body commend Jimmy Skipper for his many years of efficient, effective,

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1 unselfish, and dedicated public service and extend to him their most sincere best wishes for

- 2 continued health and happiness.
- 3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House is authorized and directed to
- 4 transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Jimmy Skipper.